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Fire Destroys Home near Bagdad

On June 21, 2017, around 5 PM, deputies were dispatched to a structure fire involving a residence off Highway 96, mile marker 7.5, outside of Bagdad. It was reported the entire residence was fully engulfed in flames.

Deputies spoke with the homeowner who told them he was across the street at another location when the fire started. He ran to his burning home as the fire was taking over the awning attachment and went inside to call 911. The phone did not work and it was at this time he sustained injuries including smoke inhalation and burns to his hands and head. He had no idea how the fire started. Bagdad Fire personnel treated him at the scene and he was transported to Yavapai Regional Medical Center in Prescott.



Fire crews work to extinguish flames and monitor flare ups

Fire personnel extinguished the fire before it could spread and indicated they would remain on scene throughout the night to handle any flare-ups. The house was a total loss.

The location was formally known as Pike's Restaurant and now the current owner's home.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation.

Citizens can contact the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office with information or questions at 928-771-3260 or the YCSO website:

www.ycsoaz.gov